

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 782
By Finney

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brittany Mikels, 2006 Co-Valedictorian of Seymour High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Mikels is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Seymour High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Brittany Mikels has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Mikels has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while serving as a valued member and officer of several scholastic organizations, including Senior Beta Secretary, Basketball and Volleyball Captain, National Honor Society, and the Spanish Club; and

WHEREAS, a four-year honor roll student, Ms. Mikels is an avid sports enthusiast and was a member of her school's varsity basketball and volleyball teams for all of her four years at Seymour High School, where she was voted Most Athletic by her peers; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Mikels's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Maryville College, where she plans to study Clinical Psychology; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Mikels's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Roy and Sue Mikels, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Mikels's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Seymour High School Co-Valedictorian, Brittany Mikels, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy and successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.